(c) about 1 Crore 43 lakh cases have been amicably settled through the forum of Lok Adalats across the country, which include 526,378 cases settled by Lok Adalats in Andhra Pradesh. Similarly 15,48,844 complaints have been resolved by various Consumer Redressal forums at National, State and District levels. These include 1,29,640 complaints disposed of by the 25 District Consumer Forums and 1 State Commission in Andhra Pradesh.

Realisation of revenue locked up in litigations

557. SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that revenue to the tune of Rs. 60 thousand crore are locked up in litigations;

(b) if so, the details in this regard;

(c) whether it is also a fact that lack of strategy to deal with the high volume of court cases and improper allocation of work is contributing to the rising litigated amounts; and

(d) the details of the measures contemplated to realize the revenue locked up in litigations?

THE MINISTER OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI K. JANA KRISHNAMURTHY): (a) to (d) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Ordinance on Electoral Reforms

558. SHRI KARNENDU BHATTACHARJEE:
SHRI MANOJ BHATTACHARYA:

Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have recently promulgated an Ordinance on Electoral Reforms;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Ordinance runs contrary not only to the guidelines issued by the Election Commission in compliance of the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court on 25th May, 2002, but also to the specific